Focal Points for Consultations for Members of the CSTD Working Group on Enhanced Cooperation

GUIDELINES

- Designation as focal points does not imply selection of the focal points as members of the CSTD Working Group on Enhanced Cooperation.
- The role of the focal points is to assist the CSTD Chair in reaching out to the interested parties in their respective regional or stakeholder groups and to facilitate consultations regarding which CSTD Member States and stakeholder group representatives would like to be submitted for consideration by the Chair of the CSTD, in accordance with the proposed composition of the Working Group (four per regional group plus the two WSIS hosts, and five per other stakeholder groups).
- The focal points will convey to the Chair of the CSTD the results of the consultations.
- The Chair of the CSTD will make decisions and announce the final composition of the Working Group, as requested by the General Assembly in resolution 67/195, paragraph 21.

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